

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research 1400 Tenth Street Sacramento, CA 95814 FAX (916) 323-3018 FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation

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PROJECT TITLE: Parking Area Improvements

LOCATION: Marina State Beach, end of Reservation Road, Marina

COUNTY: Monterey

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT:

Improve the parking area at Marina State Beach. Work will remove excess sand from the north side of the parking lot, fill sand around the hang glider launch ramp, remove and replace the failing retaining wall on the north side of the parking area, mechanically removing non-native ice plant in the project area, and re-contour the dune face to re-plant the face with straw plugs that contain seeds collected from nearby appropriate native plants.

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Monterey District

EXEMPT STATUS:

☐ Categorical Exemption Class: 1, 4 Section: 15301, 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT:

Project consists of maintenance of existing public facilities involving no expansion of use beyond current levels and minor alterations in the condition of land and vegetation that does not include the removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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